

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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MANDI GRIFFIN, also known as  
MANDI T. GRIFFIN,

Petitioner,

-v-

9:14-CV-0024  
(DNH/TWD)

SABRINA KAPLAN,

Respondent.

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APPEARANCES:

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DAVID N. HURD  
United States District Judge

**DECISION and ORDER**

*Pro se* petitioner Mandi Griffin, also known as Mandi T. Griffin, brought this petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner filed an amended petition on March 17, 2014. See ECF No. 7. On January 27, 2017, the Honorable Thérèse Wiley Dancks, United States Magistrate Judge, advised, by Report-Recommendation, that the petition be

denied. Petitioner timely filed objections to the Report-Recommendation and Respondent has filed a letter requesting that the Report-Recommendation be adopted. See ECF Nos. 33 & 34.

Based upon a de novo review of the portions of the Report-Recommendation to which petitioner and respondent objected, the Report-Recommendation is adopted in whole. See 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Rule 10, Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases.


Therefore, it is

ORDERED that

1. The amended petition for a writ of habeas corpus is **DENIED** and **DISMISSED** in all respects on the grounds that it is time-barred; and
2. The Clerk is directed to close the file.

Because petitioner has not made a substantial showing of the denial of any constitutional right, a certificate of appealability will not issue. See 28 U.S.C. § 2253.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

  
United States District Judge

Dated: March 29, 2017  
Utica, New York.